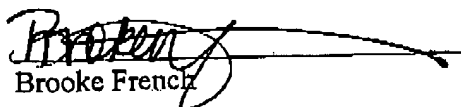


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The Non-Final Office Action mailed September 6, 2005, has been carefully considered.

In response thereto, Applicants respectfully request consideration of the following amendments and remarks.